

Communication Network Comprising At Least A source and a Switch For  
Receiving and Forwarding Data Packets Originated by the Source

Abstract

Communication network comprising a source and a switch for receiving and forwarding data packets originating from the source, wherein the network *comprises at least two mutually different routing paths between the source and the switch*, wherein the switch comprises at least two incoming ports for receiving the data packets originating from the source, wherein the switch is arranged to discard for a period of time any data packet originating from the source at the first one of the at least two incoming ports upon receiving a data packet originating from the source at the second one of the at least two incoming ports after receiving a data packet originating from the source at the first one of the at least two incoming ports.